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## **COMMITTEE REPORT**

YES: 11 NO: 0

## MR. SPEAKER:

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paragraph and insert:

Your Committee on <u>Insurance, Corporations and Small Business</u>, to which was referred <u>House Bill 1554</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:

Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new

3 "SECTION 1. IC 27-1-12-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS 4 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 2. (a) The following 5 definitions apply to this section: 6 (1) "Acceptable collateral" means, as to securities lending 7 transactions: 8 (A) cash; 9 (B) cash equivalents; 10 (C) letters of credit; and 11 (D) direct obligations of, or securities that are fully guaranteed 12 as to principal and interest by, the government of the United

16 (2) "Acceptable collateral" means, as to lending foreign securities,

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States or any agency of the United States, including the

Federal National Mortgage Association and the Federal Home

1	sovereign debt that is rated:
2	(A) A- or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation;
3	(B) A3 or higher by Moody's Investors Service, Inc.;
4	(C) A- or higher by Duff and Phelps, Inc.; or
5	(D) 1 by the Securities Valuation Office.
6	(3) "Acceptable collateral" means, as to repurchase transactions:
7	(A) cash;
8	(B) cash equivalents; and
9	(C) direct obligations of, or securities that are fully guaranteed
10	as to principal and interest by, the government of the United
11	States or any agency of the United States, including the
12	Federal National Mortgage Association and the Federal Home
13	Loan Mortgage Corporation.
14	(4) "Acceptable collateral" means, as to reverse repurchase
15	transactions:
16	(A) cash; and
17	(B) cash equivalents.
18	(5) "Admitted assets" means assets permitted to be reported as
19	admitted assets on the statutory financial statement of the life
20	insurance company most recently required to be filed with the
21	commissioner.
22	(6) "Business entity" means:
23	(A) a sole proprietorship;
24	(B) a corporation;
25	(C) a limited liability company;
26	(D) an association;
27	(E) a partnership;
28	(F) a joint stock company;
29	(G) a joint venture;
30	(H) a mutual fund;
31	(I) a trust;
32	(J) a joint tenancy; or
33	(K) other, similar form of business organization;
34	whether organized for-profit or not-for-profit.
35	(7) "Cash" means any of the following:
36	(A) United States denominated paper currency and coins.
37	(B) Negotiable money orders and checks.
38	(C) Funds held in any time or demand deposit in any

1	depository institution, the deposits of which are insured by the
2	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.
3	(8) "Cash equivalent" means any of the following:
4	(A) A certificate of deposit issued by a depository institution
5	the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposi
6	Insurance Corporation.
7	(B) A banker's acceptance issued by a depository institution
8	the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposi
9	Insurance Corporation.
10	(C) A government money market mutual fund.
11	(D) A class one money market mutual fund.
12	(9) "Class one money market mutual fund" means a money
13	market mutual fund that at all times qualifies for investmen
14	pursuant to the "Purposes and Procedures of the Securities
15	Valuation Office" or any successor publication either using the
16	bond class one reserve factor or because it is exempt from asse
17	valuation reserve requirements.
18	(10) "Dollar roll transaction" means two (2) simultaneous
19	transactions that have settlement dates not more than ninety-size
20	(96) days apart and that meet the following description:
21	(A) In one (1) transaction, a life insurance company sells to a
22	business entity one (1) or both of the following:
23	(i) Asset-backed securities that are issued, assumed, or
24	guaranteed by the Government National Mortgage
25	Association, the Federal National Mortgage Association, or
26	the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation or the
27	successor of an entity referred to in this item.
28	(ii) Other asset-backed securities referred to in Section 106
29	of Title I of the Secondary Mortgage Market Enhancemen
30	Act of 1984 (15 U.S.C. 77r-1), as amended.
31	(B) In the other transaction, the life insurance company is
32	obligated to purchase from the same business entity securities
33	that are substantially similar to the securities sold under clause
34	(A).
35	(11) "Domestic jurisdiction" means:
36	(A) the United States;
37	(B) any state, territory, or possession of the United States;
2 Q	(C) the District of Columbia:

1	(D) Canada; or
2	(E) any province of Canada.
3	(12) "Earnings available for fixed charges" means income, after
4	deducting:
5	(A) operating and maintenance expenses other than expenses
6	that are fixed charges;
7	(B) taxes other than federal and state income taxes;
8	(C) depreciation; and
9	(D) depletion;
10	but excluding extraordinary nonrecurring items of income or
11	expense appearing in the regular financial statements of a
12	business entity.
13	(13) "Fixed charges" includes:
14	(A) interest on funded and unfunded debt;
15	(B) amortization of debt discount; and
16	(C) rentals for leased property.
17	(14) "Foreign currency" means a currency of a foreign
18	jurisdiction.
19	(15) "Foreign jurisdiction" means a jurisdiction other than a
20	domestic jurisdiction.
21	(16) "Government money market mutual fund" means a money
22	market mutual fund that at all times:
23	(A) invests only in:
24	(i) obligations that are issued, guaranteed, or insured by the
25	United States; or
26	(ii) collateralized repurchase agreements composed of
27	obligations that are issued, guaranteed, or insured by the
28	United States; and
29	(B) qualifies for investment without a reserve pursuant to the
30	"Purposes and Procedures of the Securities Valuation Office"
31	or any successor publication.
32	(17) "Guaranteed or insured," when used in reference to an
33	obligation acquired under this section, means that the guarantor
34	or insurer has agreed to:
35	(A) perform or insure the obligation of the obligor or purchase
36	the obligation; or
37	(B) be unconditionally obligated, until the obligation is repaid,
20	to maintain in the obligor a minimum net worth fixed charge

1	coverage, stockholders' equity, or sufficient liquidity to enable
2	the obligor to pay the obligation in full.
3	(18) "Investment company" means:
4	(A) an investment company as defined in Section 3(a) of the
5	Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-1 et seq.), as
6	amended; or
7	(B) a person described in Section 3(c) of the Investment
8	Company Act of 1940.
9	(19) "Investment company series" means an investment portfolio
.0	of an investment company that is organized as a series company
1	to which assets of the investment company have been specifically
2	allocated.
.3	(20) "Letter of credit" means a clean, irrevocable, and
.4	unconditional letter of credit that is:
.5	(A) issued or confirmed by; and
.6	(B) payable and presentable at;
.7	a financial institution on the list of financial institutions meeting
.8	the standards for issuing letters of credit under the "Purposes and
9	Procedures of the Securities Valuation Office" or any successor
20	publication. To constitute acceptable collateral for the purposes
21	of paragraph 29 of subsection (b) of this section, a letter of credit
22	must have an expiration date beyond the term of the subject
23	transaction.
24	(21) "Market value" means the following:
25	(A) As to cash, the amount of the cash.
26	(B) As to cash equivalents, the amount of the cash equivalents
27	(C) As to letters of credit, the amount of the letters of credit.
28	(D) As to a security as of any date:
29	(i) the price for the security on that date obtained from a
30	generally recognized source, or the most recent quotation
31	from such a source; or
32	(ii) if no generally recognized source exists, the price for the
33	security as determined in good faith by the parties to a
34	transaction;
35	plus accrued but unpaid income on the security to the extent
36	not included in the price as of that date.
37	(22) "Money market mutual fund" means a mutual fund that
. Q	meets the conditions of 17 CER 270 22.7 under the Investment

1	Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-1 et seq.).
2	(23) "Multilateral development bank" means an international
3	development organization of which the United States is a
4	member.
5	(24) "Mutual fund" means:
6	(A) an investment company; or
7	(B) in the case of an investment company that is organized as
8	a series company, an investment company series;
9	that is registered with the United States Securities and Exchange
10	Commission under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15
11	U.S.C. 80a-1 et seq.).
12	(25) "Obligation" means any of the following:
13	(A) A bond.
14	(B) A note.
15	(C) A debenture.
16	(D) Any other form of evidence of debt.
17	(26) "Person" means:
18	(A) an individual;
19	(B) a business entity;
20	(C) a multilateral development bank; or
21	(D) a government or quasi-governmental body, such as a
22	political subdivision or a government sponsored enterprise.
23	(27) "Repurchase transaction" means a transaction in which a life
24	insurance company purchases securities from a business entity
25	that is obligated to repurchase the purchased securities or
26	equivalent securities from the life insurance company at a
27	specified price, either within a specified period of time or upon
28	demand.
29	(28) "Reverse repurchase transaction" means a transaction in
30	which a life insurance company sells securities to a business
31	entity and is obligated to repurchase the sold securities or
32	equivalent securities from the business entity at a specified price,
33	either within a specified period of time or upon demand.
34	(29) "Securities lending transaction" means a transaction in which
35	securities are loaned by a life insurance company to a business
36	entity that is obligated to return the loaned securities or equivalent
37	securities to the life insurance company, either within a specified
38	period of time or upon demand.

1	(30) "Securities Valuation Office" refers to:
2	(A) the Securities Valuation Office of the National Association
3	of Insurance Commissioners; or
4	(B) any successor of the office referred to in Clause (A)
5	established by the National Association of Insurance
6	Commissioners.
7	(31) "Series company" means an investment company that is
8	organized as a series company (as defined in Rule 18f-2(a)
9	adopted under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C.
10	80a-1 et seq.), as amended).
11	(32) "Supported", when used in reference to an obligation, by
12	whomever issued or made, means that:
13	(a) repayment of the obligation by:
14	(i) a domestic jurisdiction or by an administration, agency,
15	authority, or instrumentality of a domestic jurisdiction; or
16	(ii) a business entity;
17	as the case may be, is secured by real or personal property of
18	value at least equal to the principal amount of the obligation
19	by means of mortgage, assignment of vendor's interest in one
20	(1) or more conditional sales contracts, other title retention
21	device, or by means of other security interest in such property
22	for the benefit of the holder of the obligation; and
23	(b) the:
24	(i) domestic jurisdiction or administration, agency, authority,
25	or instrumentality of the domestic jurisdiction; or
26	(ii) business entity;
27	as the case may be, has entered into a firm agreement to rent
28	or use the property pursuant to which it is obligated to pay
29	money as rental or for the use of such property in amounts and
30	at times which shall be sufficient, after provision for taxes
31	upon and other expenses of use of the property, to repay in full
32	the obligation with interest and when such agreement and the
33	money obligated to be paid thereunder are assigned, pledged,
34	or secured for the benefit of the holder of the obligation.
35	However, where the security for the repayment of the
36	obligation consists of a first mortgage lien or deed of trust on
37	a fee interest in real property, the obligation may provide for
38	the amortization, during the initial, fixed period of the lease or

contract, of less than one hundred percent (100%) of the obligation if there is pledged or assigned, as additional security for the obligation, sufficient rentals payable under the lease, or of contract payments, to secure the amortized obligation payments required during the initial, fixed period of the lease or contract, including but not limited to payments of principal, interest, and taxes other than the income taxes of the borrower, and if there is to be left unamortized at the end of such period an amount not greater than the original appraised value of the land only, exclusive of all improvements, as prescribed by law.

- (b) Investments of domestic life insurance companies at the time they are made shall conform to the following categories, conditions, limitations, and standards:
- 1. Obligations of a domestic jurisdiction or of any administration, agency, authority, or instrumentality of a domestic jurisdiction.
- 2. Obligations guaranteed, supported, or insured as to principal and interest by a domestic jurisdiction or by an administration, agency, authority, or instrumentality of a domestic jurisdiction.
- 3. Obligations issued under or pursuant to the Farm Credit Act of 1971 (12 U.S.C. 2001 through 2279aa-14) as in effect on December 31, 1990, or the Federal Home Loan Bank Act (12 U.S.C. 1421 through 1449) as in effect on December 31, 1990, interest bearing obligations of the FSLIC Resolution Fund or shares of any institution whose deposits are insured by the Savings Association Insurance Fund of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation to the extent that such shares are insured, obligations issued or guaranteed by a multilateral development bank, and obligations issued or guaranteed by the African Development Bank.
- 4. Obligations issued, guaranteed, or insured as to principal and interest by a city, county, drainage district, road district, school district, tax district, town, township, village, or other civil administration, agency, authority, instrumentality, or subdivision of a domestic jurisdiction, providing such obligations are authorized by law and are:
  - (a) direct and general obligations of the issuing, guaranteeing or insuring governmental unit, administration, agency, authority, district, subdivision, or instrumentality;
  - (b) payable from designated revenues pledged to the payment of

the principal and interest thereof; or 1 2 (c) improvement bonds or other obligations constituting a first 3 lien, except for tax liens, against all of the real estate within the 4 improvement district or on that part of such real estate not 5 discharged from such lien through payment of the assessment. 6 The area to which such improvement bonds or other obligations 7 relate shall be situated within the limits of a town or city and at 8 least fifty percent (50%) of the properties within such area shall 9 be improved with business buildings or residences. 10 5. Loans evidenced by obligations secured by first mortgage liens 11 on otherwise unencumbered real estate or otherwise unencumbered 12 leaseholds having at least fifty (50) years of unexpired term, such real 13 estate, or leaseholds to be located in a domestic jurisdiction. Such loans 14 shall not exceed eighty percent (80%) of the fair value of the security 15 determined in a manner satisfactory to the department, except that the 16 percentage stated may be exceeded if and to the extent such excess is 17 guaranteed or insured by: 18 (a) a domestic jurisdiction or by an administration, agency, 19 authority, or instrumentality of any domestic jurisdiction; or 20 (b) a private mortgage insurance corporation approved by the 21 department. 22 If improvements constitute a part of the value of the real estate or 23 leaseholds, such improvements shall be insured against fire for the 24 benefit of the mortgagee in an amount not less than the difference 25 between the value of the land and the unpaid balance of the loan. For the purpose of this section, real estate or a leasehold shall not be 26 27 deemed to be encumbered by reason of the existence in relation thereto 28 of: 29 (1) liens inferior to the lien securing the loan made by the life 30 insurance company; 31 (2) taxes or assessment liens not delinquent; 32 (3) instruments creating or reserving mineral, oil, water or timber 33 rights, rights-of-way, common or joint driveways, sewers, walls, 34 or utility connections; 35 (4) building restrictions or other restrictive covenants; or 36 (5) an unassigned lease reserving rents or profits to the owner. 37 A loan that is authorized by this paragraph remains qualified under this

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paragraph notwithstanding any refinancing, modification, or extension

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of the loan. Investments authorized by this paragraph shall not in the aggregate exceed forty-five percent (45%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.

- 6. Loans evidenced by obligations guaranteed or insured, but only to the extent guaranteed or insured, by a domestic jurisdiction or by any agency, administration, authority, or instrumentality of any domestic jurisdiction, and secured by second or subsequent mortgages or deeds of trust on real estate or leaseholds, provided the terms of the leasehold mortgages or deeds of trust shall not exceed four-fifths (4/5) of the unexpired lease term, including enforceable renewable options remaining at the time of the loan.
- 7. Real estate contracts involving otherwise unencumbered real estate situated in a domestic jurisdiction, to be secured by the title to such real estate, which shall be transferred to the life insurance company or to a trustee or nominee of its choosing. For statement and deposit purposes, the value of a contract acquired pursuant to this paragraph shall be whichever of the following amounts is the least:
  - (a) eighty percent (80%) of the contract price of the real estate;
  - (b) eighty percent (80%) of the fair value of the real estate at the time the contract is purchased, such value to be determined in a manner satisfactory to the department; or
  - (c) the amount due under the contract.
- For the purpose of this paragraph, real estate shall not be deemed encumbered by reason of the existence in relation thereto of: (1) taxes or assessment liens not delinquent; (2) instruments creating or reserving mineral, oil, water or timber rights, rights-of-way, common or joint driveways, sewers, walls or utility connections; (3) building restrictions or other restrictive covenants; or (4) an unassigned lease reserving rents or profits to the owner. Fire insurance upon improvements constituting a part of the real estate described in the contract shall be maintained in an amount at least equal to the unpaid balance due under the contract or the fair value of improvements, whichever is the lesser.
- 8. Improved or unimproved real property, whether encumbered or unencumbered, or any interest therein, held directly or evidenced by joint venture interests, general or limited partnership interests, trust certificates, or any other instruments, and acquired by the life insurance company as an investment, which real property, if unimproved, is

developed within five (5) years. Real property acquired for investment under this paragraph, whether leased or intended to be developed for commercial or residential purposes or otherwise lawfully held, is subject to the following conditions and limitations:

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- (a) The real estate shall be located in a domestic jurisdiction.
- (b) The admitted assets of the life insurance company must exceed twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000).
- (c) The life insurance company shall have the right to expend from time to time whatever amount or amounts may be necessary to conform the real estate to the needs and purposes of the lessee and the amount so expended shall be added to and become a part of the investment in such real estate.
- (d) The value for statement and deposit purposes of an investment under this paragraph shall be reduced annually by amortization of the costs of improvement and development, less land costs, over the expected life of the property, which value and amortization shall for statement and deposit purposes be determined in a manner satisfactory to the commissioner. In determining such value with respect to the calendar years in which an investment begins or ends with respect to a point in time other than the beginning or end of a calendar year, the amortization provided above shall be made on a proportional basis.
- (e) Fire insurance shall be maintained in an amount at least equal to the insurable value of the improvements or the difference between the value of the land and the value at which such real estate is carried for statement and deposit purposes, whichever amount is smaller.
- (f) Real estate acquired in any of the manners described and sanctioned under section 3 of this chapter, or otherwise lawfully held, except paragraph 5 of that section which specifically relates to the acquisition of real estate under this paragraph, shall not be affected in any respect by this paragraph unless such real estate at or subsequent to its acquisition fulfills the conditions and limitations of this paragraph, and is declared by the life insurance company in a writing filed with the department to be an investment under this paragraph. The value of real estate acquired under section 3 of this chapter, or otherwise lawfully held, and invested under this paragraph shall be initially that at which it was

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(g) Neither the cost of each parcel of improved real property nor the aggregate cost of all unimproved real property acquired under the authority of this paragraph may exceed two percent (2%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets. For purposes of this paragraph, "unimproved real property" means land containing no structures intended for commercial, industrial, or residential occupancy, and "improved real property" consists of all land containing any such structure. When applying the limitations of subparagraph (d) of this paragraph, unimproved real property becomes improved real property as soon as construction of any commercial, industrial, or residential structure is so completed as to be capable of producing income. In the event the real property is mortgaged with recourse to the life insurance company or the life insurance company commences a plan of construction upon real property at its own expense or guarantees payment of borrowed funds to be used for such construction, the total project cost of the real property will be used in applying the two percent (2%) test. Further, no more than ten percent (10%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets may be invested in all property, measured by the property value for statement and deposit purposes as defined in this paragraph, held under this paragraph at the same time.

- 9. Deposits of cash in a depository institution, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or certificates of deposit issued by a depository institution, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.
- 10. Bank and bankers' acceptances and other bills of exchange of kinds and maturities eligible for purchase or rediscount by federal reserve banks.
- 11. Obligations that are issued, guaranteed, assumed, or supported by a business entity organized under the laws of a domestic jurisdiction and that are rated:
  - (a) BBB- or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation (or A-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper);
- 36 (b) Baa 3 or higher by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (or P-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper);
- 38 (c) BBB- or higher by Duff and Phelps, Inc. (or D-2 or higher in

the case of commercial paper); or

(d) 1 or 2 by the Securities Valuation Office.

Investments may also be made under this paragraph in obligations that have not received a rating if the earnings available for fixed charges of the business entity for the period of its five (5) fiscal years next preceding the date of purchase shall have averaged per year not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) times its average annual fixed charges applicable to such period and if during either of the last two (2) years of such period such earnings available for fixed charges shall have been not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) times its fixed charges for such year. However, if the business entity is a finance company or other lending institution at least eighty percent (80%) of the assets of which are cash and receivables representing loans or discounts made or purchased by it, the multiple shall be one and one-quarter (1 1/4) instead of one and one-half (1 1/2).

11.(A) Obligations issued, guaranteed, or assumed by a business entity organized under the laws of a domestic jurisdiction, which obligations have not received a rating or, if rated, have not received a rating that would qualify the obligations for investment under paragraph 11 of this section. Investments authorized by this paragraph may not exceed ten percent (10%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.

12. Preferred stock of, or common or preferred stock guaranteed as to dividends by, any corporation organized under the laws of a domestic jurisdiction, which over the period of the seven (7) fiscal years immediately preceding the date of purchase earned an average amount per annum at least equal to five percent (5%) of the par value of its common and preferred stock (or, in the case of stocks having no par value, of its issued or stated value) outstanding at date of purchase, or which over such period earned an average amount per annum at least equal to two (2) times the total of its annual interest charges, preferred dividends and dividends guaranteed by it, determined with reference to the date of purchase. No investment shall be made under this paragraph in a stock upon which any dividend is in arrears or has been in arrears for ninety (90) days within the immediately preceding five (5) year period.

13. Common stock of any solvent corporation organized under the laws of a domestic jurisdiction which over the seven (7) fiscal years

immediately preceding purchase earned an average amount per annum at least equal to six percent (6%) of the par value of its capital stock (or, in the case of stock having no par value, of the issued or stated value of such stock) outstanding at date of purchase, but the conditions and limitations of this paragraph shall not apply to the special area of investment to which paragraph 23 of this section pertains.

## 13.(A) Stock or shares of any mutual fund that:

- (a) has been in existence for a period of at least five (5) years immediately preceding the date of purchase, has assets of not less than twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) at the date of purchase, and invests substantially all of its assets in investments permitted under this section; or
- (b) is a class one money market mutual fund or a class one bond mutual fund.

Investments authorized by this paragraph 13(A) in mutual funds having the same or affiliated investment advisers shall not at any one (1) time exceed in the aggregate ten percent (10%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets. The limitations contained in paragraph 22 of this subsection apply to investments in the types of mutual funds described in subparagraph (a). For the purposes of this paragraph, "class one bond mutual fund" means a mutual fund that at all times qualifies for investment using the bond class one reserve factor under the "Purposes and Procedures of the Securities Valuation Office" or any successor publication.

The aggregate amount of investments under this paragraph may be limited by the commissioner if the commissioner finds that investments under this paragraph may render the operation of the life insurance company hazardous to the company's policyholders or creditors or to the general public.

- 14. Loans upon the pledge of any of the investments described in this section other than real estate and those qualifying solely under paragraph 20 of this subsection, but the amount of such a loan shall not exceed seventy-five percent (75%) of the value of the investment pledged.
- 15. Real estate acquired or otherwise lawfully held under the provisions of IC 27-1, except under paragraph 7 or 8 of this subsection, which real estate as an investment shall also include the value of improvements or betterments made thereon subsequent to its

acquisition. The value of such real estate for deposit and statement purposes is to be determined in a manner satisfactory to the department.

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15.(A) Tangible personal property, equipment trust obligations, or other instruments evidencing an ownership interest or other interest in tangible personal property when the life insurance company purchasing such property has admitted assets in excess of twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000), and where there is a right to receive determined portions of rental, purchase, or other fixed obligatory payments for the use of such personal property from a corporation whose obligations would be eligible for investment under the provisions of paragraph 11 of this subsection, provided that the aggregate of such payments together with the estimated salvage value of such property at the end of its minimum useful life, to be determined in a manner acceptable to the insurance commissioner, and the estimated tax benefits to the insurer resulting from ownership of such property, is adequate to return the cost of the investment in such property, and provided further, that each net investment in tangible personal property for which any single private corporation is obligated to pay rental, purchase, or other obligatory payments thereon does not exceed one-half of one percent (1/2%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets, and the aggregate net investments made under the provisions of this paragraph do not exceed five percent (5%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.

16. Loans to policyholders of the life insurance company in amounts not exceeding in any case the reserve value of the policy at the time the loan is made.

17. A life insurance company doing business in a foreign jurisdiction may, if permitted or required by the laws of such jurisdiction, invest funds equal to its obligations in such jurisdiction in investments legal for life insurance companies domiciled in such jurisdiction or doing business therein as alien companies.

17.(A) Investments in (i) obligations issued, guaranteed, assumed, or supported by a foreign jurisdiction or by a business entity organized under the laws of a foreign jurisdiction and (ii) preferred stock and common stock issued by any such business entity, if the obligations of such foreign jurisdiction or business entity, as appropriate, are rated:

(a) BBB- or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation (or A-2 or

1 higher in the case of commercial paper); 2 (b) Baa 3 or higher by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (or P-2 or 3 higher in the case of commercial paper); 4 (c) BBB- or higher by Duff and Phelps, Inc. (or D-2 or higher in 5 the case of commercial paper); or 6 (d) 1 or 2 by the Securities Valuation Office. 7 If the obligations issued by a business entity organized under the laws 8 of a foreign jurisdiction have not received a rating, investments may 9 nevertheless be made under this paragraph in such obligations and in 10 the preferred and common stock of the business entity if the earnings 11 available for fixed charges of the business entity for a period of five (5) 12 fiscal years preceding the date of purchase have averaged at least three 13 (3) times its average fixed charges applicable to such period, and if 14 during either of the last two (2) years of such period, the earnings 15 available for fixed charges were at least three (3) times its fixed 16 charges for such year. in Investments authorized by this paragraph in 17 a single foreign jurisdiction shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the 18 life insurance company's admitted assets. Subject to section 2.2(g) of 19 this chapter, investments authorized by this paragraph denominated in 20 foreign currencies shall not in the aggregate exceed ten percent (10%) 21 of a life insurance company's admitted assets, and investments in any 22 one (1) foreign currency shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the life 23 insurance company's admitted assets. Investments authorized by this 24 paragraph and paragraph 17(B) shall not in the aggregate exceed 25 twenty percent (20%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets. 26 This paragraph in no way limits or restricts investments which are 27 otherwise specifically eligible for deposit under this section. 28 17.(B) Investments in: 29 (a) obligations issued, guaranteed, or assumed by a foreign 30 jurisdiction or by a business entity organized under the laws of a 31 foreign jurisdiction; and 32 (b) preferred stock and common stock issued by a business entity 33 organized under the laws of a foreign jurisdiction; 34 which investments are not eligible for investment under paragraph 35 17.(A). 36 Investments authorized by this paragraph 17(B) shall not in the 37 aggregate exceed five percent (5%) of the life insurance company's 38 admitted assets. Subject to section 2.2(g) of this chapter, if investments

authorized by this paragraph 17(B) are denominated in a foreign currency, the investments shall not, as to such currency, exceed two percent (2%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets. Investments authorized by this paragraph 17(B) in any one (1) foreign jurisdiction shall not exceed two percent (2%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.

Investments authorized by paragraph 17(A) of this subsection and this paragraph 17(B) shall not in the aggregate exceed twenty percent (20%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.

- 18. To protect itself against loss, a company may in good faith receive in payment of or as security for debts due or to become due, investments or property which do not conform to the categories, conditions, limitations, and standards set out above.
- 19. A life insurance company may purchase for its own benefit any of its outstanding annuity or insurance contracts or other obligations and the claims of holders thereof.
- 20. A life insurance company may make investments although not conforming to the categories, conditions, limitations, and standards contained in paragraphs 1 through 11, 12 through 19, and 29 through 30.(A) of this subsection, but limited in aggregate amount to the lesser of:
  - (a) ten percent (10%) of the company's admitted assets; or
  - (b) the aggregate of the company's capital, surplus, and contingency reserves reported on the statutory financial statement of the insurer most recently required to be filed with the commissioner.

This paragraph 20 does not apply to investments authorized by paragraph 11.(A) of this subsection.

- 20.(A) Investments under paragraphs 1 through 20 and paragraphs 29 through 30.(A) of this subsection are subject to the general conditions, limitations, and standards contained in paragraphs 21 through 28 of this subsection.
- 21. Investments in obligations (other than real estate mortgage indebtedness) and capital stock of, and in real estate and tangible personal property leased to, a single corporation, shall not exceed two percent (2%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets, taking into account the provisions of section 2.2(h) of this chapter. The conditions and limitations of this paragraph shall not apply to

investments under paragraph 13(A) of this subsection or the special area of investment to which paragraph 23 of this subsection pertains.

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- (a) preferred stock; and
  - (b) common stock;

shall not, in the aggregate, exceed twenty percent (20%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets, exclusive of assets held in segregated accounts of the nature defined in class 1(c) of IC 27-1-5-1. These limitations shall not apply to investments for the special purposes described in paragraph 23 of this subsection nor to investments in connection with segregated accounts provided for in class 1(c) of IC 27-1-5-1.

23. Limitations defined in paragraphs 13, 20, 21, 22, and 26 of this subsection upon the right of a life insurance company to invest in obligations, and capital stock, and other securities of corporations a company shall be inapplicable when, within IC 27-2-9, IC 27-1-23-2.6, the result of such investment, whether in one (1) or more transactions, is to effect, between a life insurance company and another company, a relationship of primary and subsidiary companies, or to enlarge a life insurance company's investment in its subsidiary insurance company. However, except as otherwise provided in IC 27-2-9-3(e), the total of a life insurance company's investments in a company or companies to which it stands in the relation of primary company shall not at any time exceed ten percent (10%) of its admitted assets. In the event that a primary and subsidiary relationship ceases to exist between a life insurance company and another company, the life insurance company shall have until December 31 of the succeeding calendar year and such additional period of time as the commissioner may determine within which to conform its investments in stocks and securities of such other company to the conditions and limitations defined in this section, exclusive of this paragraph.

24. No investment, other than commercial bank deposits and loans on life insurance policies, shall be made unless authorized by the life insurance company's board of directors or a committee designated by the board of directors and charged with the duty of supervising loans or investments.

25. No life insurance company shall subscribe to or participate in any syndicate or similar underwriting of the purchase or sale of

securities or property or enter into any transaction for such purchase or sale on account of said company, jointly with any other corporation, firm, or person, or enter into any agreement to withhold from sale any of its securities or property, but the disposition of its assets shall at all times be within its control. Nothing contained in this paragraph shall be construed to invalidate or prohibit an agreement by two (2) or more companies to join and share in the purchase of investments for bona fide investment purposes.

- 26. No life insurance company may invest in the stocks or obligations, except investments under paragraphs 9 and 10 of this subsection, of any corporation in which an officer of such life insurance company is either an officer or director. However, this limitation shall not apply with respect to such investments in:
  - (a) a corporation which is a subsidiary or affiliate of such life insurance company; or
  - (b) a trade association, provided such investment meets the requirements of paragraph 5 of this subsection.
- 27. Except for the purpose of mutualization provided for in section 23 of this chapter, or for the purpose of retirement of outstanding shares of capital stock pursuant to amendment of its articles of incorporation, or in connection with a plan approved by the commissioner for purchase of such shares by the life insurance company's officers, employees, or agents, no life insurance company shall invest in its own stock.

28. In applying the conditions, limitations, and standards prescribed in paragraphs 11, 12, and 13 of this subsection to the stocks or obligations of a corporation which in the seven (7) year period preceding purchase of such stocks or obligations acquired its property or a substantial part thereof through consolidation, merger, or purchase, the earnings of the several predecessors or constituent corporations shall be consolidated.

- 29. A. Before a life insurance company may engage in securities lending transactions, repurchase transactions, reverse repurchase transactions, or dollar roll transactions, the life insurance company's board of directors must adopt a written plan that includes guidelines and objectives to be followed, including the following:
  - (1) A description of how cash received will be invested or used for general corporate purposes of the company.

1	(2) Operational procedures for managing interest rate risk
2	counterparty default risk, and the use of acceptable collateral in
3	a manner that reflects the liquidity needs of the transaction.
4	(3) A statement of the extent to which the company may engage
5	in securities lending transactions, repurchase transactions, reverse
6	repurchase transactions, and dollar roll transactions.
7	B. A life insurance company must enter into a written agreement for
8	all transactions authorized by this paragraph, other than dollar roll
9	transactions. The written agreement:
.0	(1) must require the termination of each transaction not more than
1	one (1) year after its inception or upon the earlier demand of the
2	company; and
3	(2) must be with the counterparty business entity, except that, for
4	securities lending transactions, the agreement may be with an
.5	agent acting on behalf of the life insurance company if:
6	(A) the agent is:
.7	(i) a business entity, the obligations of which are rated BBB-
8	or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation (or A-2 or
9	higher in the case of commercial paper), Baa3 or higher by
20	Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (or P-2 or higher in the case
21	of commercial paper), BBB- or higher by Duff and Phelps,
22	Inc. (or D-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper), or
23	1 or 2 by the Securities Valuation Office;
24	(ii) a business entity that is a primary dealer in United States
25	government securities, recognized by the Federal Reserve
26	Bank of New York; or
27	(iii) any other business entity approved by the
28	commissioner; and
29	(B) the agreement requires the agent to enter into with each
30	counterparty separate agreements that are consistent with the
31	requirements of this paragraph.
32	C. Cash received in a transaction under this paragraph shall be:
33	(1) invested:
34	(A) in accordance with this section 2; and
35	(B) in a manner that recognizes the liquidity needs of the
86	transaction; or
37	(2) used by the life insurance company for its general corporate
88	purposes.

D. For as long as a transaction under this paragraph remains outstanding, the life insurance company or its agent or custodian shall maintain, as to acceptable collateral received in the transaction, either physically or through book entry systems of the Federal Reserve, the Depository Trust Company, the Participants Trust Company, or another securities depository approved by the commissioner:

- (1) possession of the acceptable collateral;
- (2) a perfected security interest in the acceptable collateral; or
- (3) in the case of a jurisdiction outside the United States:
- (A) title to; or

(B) rights of a secured creditor to;

the acceptable collateral.

- E. The limitations set forth in paragraphs 17 and 21 of this subsection do not apply to transactions under this paragraph 29. For purposes of calculations made to determine compliance with this paragraph, no effect may be given to the future obligation of the life insurance company to:
  - (1) resell securities, in the case of a repurchase transaction; or
  - (2) repurchase securities, in the case of a reverse repurchase transaction.
- F. A life insurance company shall not enter into a transaction under this paragraph if, as a result of the transaction, and after giving effect to the transaction:
  - (1) the aggregate amount of securities then loaned, sold to, or purchased from any one (1) business entity under this paragraph would exceed five percent (5%) of the company's admitted assets (but in calculating the amount sold to or purchased from a business entity under repurchase or reverse repurchase transactions, effect may be given to netting provisions under a master written agreement); or
  - (2) the aggregate amount of all securities then loaned, sold to, or purchased from all business entities under this paragraph would exceed forty percent (40%) of the admitted assets of the company (provided, however, that this limitation does not apply to a reverse repurchase transaction if the borrowing is used to meet operational liquidity requirements resulting from an officially declared catastrophe and is subject to a plan approved by the commissioner).

G. The following collateral requirements apply to all transactions under this paragraph:

(1) In a securities lending transaction, the life insurance company must receive acceptable collateral having a market value as of the transaction date at least equal to one hundred two percent (102%) of the market value of the securities loaned by the company in the transaction as of that date. If at any time the market value of the acceptable collateral received from a particular business entity is less than the market value of all securities loaned by the company to that business entity, the business entity shall be obligated to deliver additional acceptable collateral to the company, the market value of which, together with the market value of all acceptable collateral then held in connection with all securities lending transactions with that business entity, equals at least one hundred two percent (102%) of the market value of the loaned securities.

- (2) In a reverse repurchase transaction, other than a dollar roll transaction, the life insurance company must receive acceptable collateral having a market value as of the transaction date equal to at least ninety-five percent (95%) of the market value of the securities transferred by the company in the transaction as of that date. If at any time the market value of the acceptable collateral received from a particular business entity is less than ninety-five percent (95%) of the market value of all securities transferred by the company to that business entity, the business entity shall be obligated to deliver additional acceptable collateral to the company, the market value of which, together with the market value of all acceptable collateral then held in connection with all reverse repurchase transactions with that business entity, equals at least ninety-five percent (95%) of the market value of the transferred securities.
- (3) In a dollar roll transaction, the life insurance company must receive cash in an amount at least equal to the market value of the securities transferred by the company in the transaction as of the transaction date.
- (4) In a repurchase transaction, the life insurance company must receive acceptable collateral having a market value equal to at least one hundred two percent (102%) of the purchase price paid

by the company for the securities. If at any time the market value of the acceptable collateral received from a particular business entity is less than one hundred percent (100%) of the purchase price paid by the life insurance company in all repurchase transactions with that business entity, the business entity shall be obligated to provide additional acceptable collateral to the company, the market value of which, together with the market value of all acceptable collateral then held in connection with all repurchase transactions with that business entity, equals at least one hundred two percent (102%) of the purchase price. Securities acquired by a life insurance company in a repurchase transaction shall not be:

- (A) sold in a reverse repurchase transaction;
- (B) loaned in a securities lending transaction; or
- (C) otherwise pledged.

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- 30. A life insurance company may invest in obligations or interests in trusts or partnerships regardless of the issuer, which are secured by:
  - (a) investments authorized by paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, or 11 of this subsection; or
  - (b) collateral with the characteristics and limitations prescribed for loans under paragraph 5 of this subsection.

For the purposes of this paragraph 30, collateral may be substituted for other collateral if it is in the same amount with the same or greater interest rate and qualifies as collateral under subparagraph (a) or (b) of this paragraph.

- 30.(A) A life insurance company may invest in obligations or interests in trusts or partnerships, regardless of the issuer, secured by any form of collateral other than that described in subparagraphs (a) and (b) of paragraph 30 of this subsection, which obligations or interests in trusts or partnerships are rated:
  - (a) A- or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation or Duff and Phelps, Inc.;
- (b) A 3 or higher by Moody's Investor Service, Inc.; or
- 34 (c) 1 by the Securities Valuation Office.
- Investments authorized by this paragraph may not exceed ten percent (10%) of the life insurance company's admitted assets.
- 37 31.A. A life insurance company may invest in short-term pooling arrangements as provided in this paragraph.

B. The following definitions apply throughout this paragraph: (1) "Affiliate" means, as to any person, another person that, directly or indirectly through one (1) or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the person. (2) "Control" means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract (other than a commercial contract for goods or non-management services), or otherwise, unless the power is

the result of an official position with or corporate office held by
the person. Control shall be presumed to exist if a person, directly
or indirectly, owns, controls, holds with the power to vote or holds
proxies representing ten percent (10%) or more of the voting
securities of another person. This presumption may be rebutted by
a showing that control does not exist in fact. The commissioner

may determine, after furnishing all interested persons notice and an opportunity to be heard and making specific findings of fact to

support the determination, that control exists in fact, notwithstanding the absence of a presumption to that effect.

(3) "Qualified bank" means a national bank, state bank, or trust company that at all times is not less than adequately capitalized as determined by standards adopted by United States banking regulators and that is either regulated by state banking laws or is a member of the Federal Reserve System.

C. A life insurer may participate in investment pools qualified under this paragraph that invest only in:

(1) obligations that are rated BBB- or higher by Standard & Poor's Corporation (or A-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper), Baa 3 or higher by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (or P-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper), BBB- or higher by Duff and Phelps, Inc. (or D-2 or higher in the case of commercial paper), or 1 or 2 by the Securities Valuation Office, and have:

(A) a remaining maturity of three hundred ninety-seven (397) days or less or a put that entitles the holder to receive the principal amount of the obligation which put may be exercised through maturity at specified intervals not exceeding three hundred ninety-seven (397) days; or

1	(B) a remaining maturity of three (3) years or less and a
2	floating interest rate that resets not less frequently than
3	quarterly on the basis of a current short-term index (for
4	example, federal funds, prime rate, treasury bills, London
5	InterBank Offered Rate (LIBOR) or commercial paper) and is
6	not subject to a maximum limit, if the obligations do not have
7	an interest rate that varies inversely to market interest rate
8	changes;
9	(2) government money market mutual funds or class one money
10	market mutual funds; or
11	(3) securities lending, repurchase, and reverse repurchase and
12	dollar roll transactions that meet the requirements of paragraph 29
13	of this subsection and any applicable regulations of the
14	department;
15	provided that the investment pool shall not acquire investments in any
16	one (1) business entity that exceed ten percent (10%) of the total assets
17	of the investment pool.
18	D. For an investment pool to be qualified under this paragraph, the
19	investment pool shall not:
20	(1) acquire securities issued, assumed, guaranteed, or insured by
21	the life insurance company or an affiliate of the company; or
22	(2) borrow or incur any indebtedness for borrowed money, except
23	for securities lending, reverse repurchase, and dollar roll
24	transactions that meet the requirements of paragraph 29 of this
25	subsection.
26	E. A life insurance company shall not participate in an investment
27	pool qualified under this paragraph if, as a result of and after giving
28	effect to the participation, the aggregate amount of participation then
29	held by the company in all investment pools under this paragraph and
30	section 2.4 of this chapter would exceed thirty-five percent (35%) of its
31	admitted assets.
32	F. For an investment pool to be qualified under this paragraph:
33	(1) the manager of the investment pool must:
34	(A) be organized under the laws of the United States, a state or
35	territory of the United States, or the District of Columbia, and
36	designated as the pool manager in a pooling agreement; and
37	(B) be the life insurance company, an affiliated company, a
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1	or a business entity registered under the Investment Advisors
2	Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-I et seq.);
3	(2) the pool manager or an entity designated by the pool manager
4	of the type set forth in subdivision (1) of this subparagraph F shall
5	compile and maintain detailed accounting records setting forth:
6	(A) the cash receipts and disbursements reflecting each
7	participant's proportionate participation in the investment pool;
8	(B) a complete description of all underlying assets of the
9	investment pool (including amount, interest rate, maturity date
10	(if any) and other appropriate designations); and
11	(C) other records which, on a daily basis, allow third parties to
12	verify each participant's interest in the investment pool; and
13	(3) the assets of the investment pool shall be held in one (1) or
14	more accounts, in the name of or on behalf of the investment pool,
15	under a custody agreement or trust agreement with a qualified
16	bank, which must:
17	(A) state and recognize the claims and rights of each
18	participant;
19	(B) acknowledge that the underlying assets of the investment
20	pool are held solely for the benefit of each participant in
21	proportion to the aggregate amount of its participation in the
22	investment pool; and
23	(C) contain an agreement that the underlying assets of the
24	investment pool shall not be commingled with the general
25	assets of the qualified bank or any other person.
26	G. The pooling agreement for an investment pool qualified under
27	this paragraph must be in writing and must include the following
28	provisions:
29	(1) Insurers, subsidiaries, or affiliates of insurers holding interests
30	in the pool, or any pension or profit sharing plan of such insurers
31	or their subsidiaries or affiliates, shall, at all times, hold one
32	hundred percent (100%) of the interests in the investment pool.
33	(2) The underlying assets of the investment pool shall not be
34	commingled with the general assets of the pool manager or any
35	other person.
36	(3) In proportion to the aggregate amount of each pool
37	participant's interest in the investment pool:
38	(A) each participant owns an undivided interest in the

1	underlying assets of the investment pool; and
2	(B) the underlying assets of the investment pool are held solely
3	for the benefit of each participant.
4	(4) A participant or (in the event of the participant's insolvency,
5	bankruptcy, or receivership) its trustee, receiver, or other
6	successor-in-interest may withdraw all or any portion of its
7	participation from the investment pool under the terms of the
8	pooling agreement.
9	(5) Withdrawals may be made on demand without penalty or
10	other assessment on any business day, but settlement of funds
11	shall occur within a reasonable and customary period thereafter.
12	Payments upon withdrawals under this paragraph shall be
13	calculated in each case net of all then applicable fees and
14	expenses of the investment pool. The pooling agreement shall
15	provide for such payments to be made to the participants in one
16	(1) of the following forms, at the discretion of the pool manager:
17	(A) in cash, the then fair market value of the participant's pro
18	rata share of each underlying asset of the investment pool;
19	(B) in kind, a pro rata share of each underlying asset; or
20	(C) in a combination of cash and in kind distributions, a pro
21	rata share in each underlying asset.
22	(6) The records of the investment pool shall be made available for
23	inspection by the commissioner.".
24	Page 4, between lines 12 and 13, begin a new paragraph and insert:
25	"SECTION 3. IC 27-1-23-2.6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
26	CODE AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
27	[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 2.6. (a) As used in this section,
28	"total investment of the insurer" means the total of:
29	(1) a direct investment by an insurer in an asset; plus
30	(2) the insurer's proportionate share of an investment made
31	by a subsidiary of the insurer.
32	The insurer's proportionate share must be determined by
33	multiplying the amount of the subsidiary's investment by the
34	percentage of the insurer's ownership interest in the subsidiary.
35	(b) A domestic insurer may, independently or in cooperation
36	with another person, organize or acquire one (1) or more
37	subsidiaries.
38	(c) A subsidiary of a domestic insurer may conduct business of

any kind, and the authority to conduct the business is not limited because of the status of the subsidiary as a subsidiary of the domestic insurer.

- (d) In addition to investments in common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities as permitted under IC 27-1, a domestic insurer to which this section applies may also do the following:
  - (1) Invest, in common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities of one (1) or more subsidiaries, amounts that do not exceed the lesser of ten percent (10%) of the insurer's assets or fifty percent (50%) of the insurer's surplus as regards policyholders, if, after the investments, the insurer's surplus as regards policyholders is reasonable in relation to the insurer's outstanding liabilities and adequate to the insurer's financial needs. In calculating the amount of investments permitted under this subdivision:
    - (A) investments in domestic or foreign insurance subsidiaries and health maintenance organizations must be excluded; and
    - (B) the following must be included:
      - (i) Total net money or other consideration expended and obligations assumed in the acquisition or formation of a subsidiary, including all organizational expenses and contributions to capital and surplus of the subsidiary, whether or not represented by the purchase of capital stock or issuance of other securities.
      - (ii) All amounts expended in acquiring additional common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities and all contributions to the capital or surplus of a subsidiary subsequent to the subsidiary's acquisition or formation.
  - (2) Invest an amount in common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities of one (1) or more subsidiaries engaged or organized to engage exclusively in the ownership and management of assets authorized as investments for the insurer, if the subsidiary agrees to limit the subsidiary's investment in an asset so that the investment will not cause the amount of the total investment of the

insurer to exceed the investment limitations described in subdivision (1) or in any applicable provision of IC 27-1.

- (3) With the prior approval of the commissioner, invest a greater amount in common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, or other securities of one (1) or more subsidiaries, if, after the investment, the insurer's surplus as regards policyholders is reasonable in relation to the insurer's outstanding liabilities and adequate to the insurer's financial needs.
- (e) Before a domestic insurer to which this section applies makes an investment described in subsection (d), a determination must be made regarding whether the proposed investment meets the applicable requirements by determining the applicable investment limitations as though the investment has been made, considering:
  - (1) the currently outstanding principal balance on previous investments in debt obligations; and
- (2) the value of previous investments in equity securities as of the day that the investments in equity securities were made; net of any return of capital invested.
- (f) If an insurer ceases to control a subsidiary, the insurer shall dispose of any investment in the subsidiary made under this section not more than:
  - (1) three (3) years from the time of the cessation of control; or
- (2) the period determined appropriate by the commissioner; unless the investment meets the requirements for investment under IC 27-1 and the insurer has notified the commissioner that the investment meets the requirements.

SECTION 4. IC 27-2-9-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 1. (a) This chapter shall be supplements IC 27-1. However, the provisions of this chapter shall be controlling in the event there exists any conflict between the provisions of this chapter and the general provisions of IC 27-1.

(b) Subsidiaries established by organization or acquisition prior to September 1, 1981, and otherwise permitted by law at the time of their organization or acquisition shall not be required to meet the filing requirements of IC 27-2-9-3(c) so long as all legal requirements were met at the time of organization or acquisition."

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            Page 4, line 15, after "(a)" insert "The term "entity" means:
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              (1) a sole proprietorship;
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              (2) a corporation;
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              (3) a limited liability company;
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              (4) a partnership;
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              (6) a joint stock company;
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              (7) a mutual fund;
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              (8) a joint venture;
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              (9) a trust;
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              (10) a joint tenancy;
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              (11) an unincorporated organization;
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              (12) a similar entity; or
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              (13) a combination of the foregoing acting in concert.
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            (b)".
            Page 4, line 15, strike "a corporation.".
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            Page 4, line 16, delete "or limited liability company," and insert "an
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         entity of which an insurance company is the beneficial owner (as
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         defined in IC 27-1-23-1(c)) of".
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            Page 4, line 17, after "(50%)" insert ".".
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            Page 4, line 17, strike "of the voting stock of which is owned by an
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         insurance company".
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            Page 4, line 19, strike "(b)" and insert "(c)".
            Page 4, line 20, strike "owns" and insert "is the beneficial owner
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         (as defined in IC 27-1-23-1(c)) of".
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            Page 4, line 20, strike "the" and insert "an entity.".
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            Page 4, line 21, strike "voting capital stock of another".
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            Page 4, line 21, delete "corporation and insert "corporation.".
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            Page 4, line 21, delete "or limited liability".
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            Page 4, delete lines 22 through 26, begin a new paragraph and
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         voting stock, a domestic, foreign, or alien subsidiary company to
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         conduct any lawful kind of business permitted by the law under which
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         the subsidiary company is created, if the establishment meets the
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         limitations of this section. Ownership of a subsidiary company
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permitted by this section constitutes a permitted power of a primary company under IC 27-1-7-2 or any other statute under which the primary company is organized, unless its articles of incorporation prohibit its establishment of subsidiary companies.

(b) The primary company, at the time of establishing a subsidiary company, shall possess assets of not less than twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000); or combined capital and surplus in the case of a stock company, or surplus in the case of a mutual company, of not less than three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000). However, where the primary company is establishing a subsidiary company qualifying under subsection (e)(1), these minimum amounts shall be increased by the aggregate amount of the primary company's investment in all its subsidiary companies qualified under subsection (e)(1), including the one being established.

(c) The primary company shall file with the commissioner a certified copy of the resolution of its board of directors approving the establishment of the subsidiary company. If the subsidiary company is authorized to conduct a business, other than the business of making insurance or reinsurance pursuant to a certificate issued by the Indiana insurance commissioner or to a comparable grant of authority by an insurance official or officials in the jurisdiction of the subsidiary company's incorporation, the primary company shall also file with the commissioner a summary description of the business to be earried on by the subsidiary company. The commissioner shall grant approval for such establishment in writing if the commissioner determines that there has been compliance with the conditions and requirements of this section.

(d) (b) The department shall have the power to conduct periodic examinations and require reports reflecting the effect of the condition and operation of subsidiary companies on the financial condition of the primary company. A noninsurance subsidiary company is required to annually furnish the department financial statements prepared under generally accepted accounting principles and certified by an independent certified public accountant, and the department is authorized to rely upon such statements. The department may also make any additional examination or require any other reports with respect to any subsidiary company necessary to carry out the department's administration of this section. If any subsidiary company

is conducting its business in a manner that would clearly tend to impair the capital or surplus fund of the primary company or otherwise make the operation of the primary company financially unsafe, the department shall have the same powers to act with respect to the primary company as it would have with respect to any comparable improper or financially unsafe operation of the primary company under IC 27-1-3-19.

(e) Subsections (e) and (f) apply only to primary companies authorized to make the kind or kinds of insurance set out in Class I, enumerated in IC 27-1-5-1 (referred to in these subsections as a "Class I primary company", a "primary company", or the plural of either). A Class I primary company may invest amounts in excess of the applicable percentage limitations in IC 27-1-12-2(b)(23) in any subsidiary company whose business, operated directly or through its subsidiaries:

(1) is devoted entirely to the making of all or any one (1) or more of the kinds of insurance and reinsurance authorized by the laws of the state, if the subsidiary company is incorporated under Indiana law, or the law of a jurisdiction which the commissioner determines has comparable or more restrictive investment limitations than Indiana; or

(2) is of a nature which the primary company could engage in directly, other than the making of such insurance or reinsurance. However, investments owned by each subsidiary company qualifying under subdivision (2) directly or through a chain of subsidiaries, shall be attributed to the primary company for purposes of determining the primary company's compliance with the other provisions of IC 27-1-12-2. Attribution of these investments to the primary company shall be made on its percentage direct ownership of the subsidiary company, or the percentage indirect ownership of each other company in the chain of subsidiaries. Primary company investments in any other subsidiary company or companies are limited to the applicable aggregate percentage limitations set out in IC 27-1-12-2(b)(23).

(f) In the event a Class I primary company on account of its investments in subsidiary companies fails at any time to meet the applicable percentage limitations set out in IC 27-1-12-2(b)(23), as modified by subsection (e), the commissioner may order the divestiture of any subsidiary company or order other actions by the primary or

subsidiary company so that the total investment by the primary company does not exceed these limitations. The commissioner may for any definite or indefinite period permit the continuation of any subsidiary company without divestiture, with or without any other required action, if the commissioner determines that continuation will not tend to impair the capital or surplus fund of the primary company or make its operation unsafe or that continuation is necessary considering the financial needs of the primary company.

- (g) At any time after the relationship of primary and subsidiary companies has been established, it may be freely terminated by the act of the primary company in reducing its ownership of voting capital stock of the subsidiary company to fifty percent (50%) or below of the total outstanding voting stock of such subsidiary company.
- (h) In addition to rules adopted under IC 27-1-3-7, the commissioner may adopt under IC 4-22-2 rules:
  - (1) prescribing the methods, standards, matters, and forms to be used in making the examinations and reports required by subsection (d);
  - (2) defining the kinds of conduct by a subsidiary company that would tend to impair the capital or surplus fund of the primary company or otherwise make its operations financially unsafe; and (3) prescribing the methods for attributing investment in a subsidiary company or chain of subsidiaries to a primary company.

SECTION 7. IC 27-2-9-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 6. The acquisition by an insurance company of voting stock of another company, an entity, for the purpose of establishing a primary and subsidiary relationship, shall be

1 subject to the limitations and conditions of any investment law 2 applicable to the primary company.". Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively. 3 (Reference is to HB 1554 as introduced.)

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and when so amended that said bill do pass.